

General Aviation news & updates

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Badges are meant to help protect one's safety -- and property -- and are required to comply with government regulations and directives. Following are tips to minimize the hassle for those getting or renewing their badge:

- Schedule an appointment: The Bading Office cannot guarantee timely service to walk-in customers. An appointment ensures a training computer is available to use. To schedule an appointment, visit <u>slcairport.com/badging/.</u>
- **Plan ahead:** Badges can be renewed up to six weeks prior to the expiration date printed on the front of the badge. It's best to schedule early to get a date that works for everyone's schedule.
- Be prepared: Have the following items for the appointment:
 An application form, signed by the lease holder. Lease holders must have their form signed by Airport Properties.
 Proper identification. SLC badge holders must provide two forms of ID (Driver license with either a social security card or birth certificate, or a valid U.S. Passport); U42 badge holders need a valid, government issue photo ID as well.
 Current badge. those renewing their badge must return the card that is expiring.

Please visit <u>slcairport.com/badging/</u> for more information. The Badging Office is located at 220 North 3700 West. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. The office is closed from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Thursdays. Phone: 801-575-2423. Email: <u>AirportAccessControl@slcgov.</u> <u>com</u>.

January 10

EAA Chapter 23 will hold its monthly meeting in the Civil Air Patrol Hangar located at 640 North 2360 West at Salt Lake City International Airport.

February 15

EAA Chapter 23 will hold its annual chapter banquet between 6 and 8 p.m. at the Hill AFB Aviation museum.

March 11-13

Utah Airport Operators Association will hold its annual spring conference at the Best Western Abbey Inn in St. George, Utah.

Upcoming activity and FAA seminar information is available at faasafety.gov under the Activities, Courses and Seminars tab.

Report All Wildlife Strikes

All wildlife strikes must be reported to the FAA at wildlife.faa.gov/home

Atlantic and TAC Air Offer Expanded Customs Clearance at SLC

Atlantic Aviation SLC and TAC-AIR SLC recently joined the U.S. Customs and Border Protection reimbursable services program. The public-private partnership allows for greater flexibility for general aviation aircraft coming to SLC from foreign destinations. Contact Atlantic and TAC Air to learn how the process works.

General Aviation Airport Security Awareness

To ensure the security of the general aviation facilities at Salt Lake City Department of Airports' three airports, security procedures have been established to allow authorized access while restricting unauthorized access. Failure to comply with these requirements not only compromises airport security, but can result in legal action. Following are points to remember to ensure everyone's security:

- Always wait for a vehicle gate to close before leaving the area.
- Doors and pedestrian gates that lead to ramp areas must be secured or monitored. Do not prop open.
- Vehicles must have appropriate company markings (readable from 50 feet) and an airportissued ramp permit if driven outside a leased area.
- Never loan an Airport-issued ID badge to anyone.
- All individuals must have in their possession an airport-issued ID badge and present it upon request. Guests and others who do not have an airport-issued ID badge must be under visual control of sponsors.
- When a badge is no longer needed, it must be returned to the badging office.
- Always secure an aircraft, even while housed in a hangar.
- Maintain increased vigilance for and report unknown or suspicious pilots and aircraft rental clients.
- Report the following incidents: aircraft with unusual or unauthorized modification; persons loitering in the vicinity of aircraft or facilities; persons whose ID appears to be altered; and individuals loading or unloading unauthorised or unusual payloads onto or off of aircraft.
- Immediately notify Airport Police if a vehicle/person follows you through a vehicle or pedestrian gate.
- For gate malfunctions, call 801-575-2401. At SLC, you must wait at the gate until airport personnel arrive.

Helpful Points of Contact

General aviation operations, facilities maintenance, SLCDA GA newsletter, airfield and SLC Title 16 questions: Dave Teggins, General Aviation Manager, (801) 556-4082-5532, or dave.teggins@slcgov.com

Hangar lease and repair questions: Phil Bevan, Property Management Specialist, (801) 575-2957 or phil.bevan@slcgov.com

Aviation security questions: Gary Bilbrey, SLCDA Airport Operations, (801) 575-2401 or gary.bilbrey@slcgov.com

Gate access problems: Airport Control Center, (801) 575-2401

Emergencies: SLCIA, (801) 575-2911. TVY or U42, 911 then (801) 575-2911

For additional GA information call the GA Hotline: (801) 575-2443